

PATENT



Docket No. 979-046

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Bjerke et al. Group Art Unit: 3726  
Serial No. : 10/732,823 Examiner: John C. Hong  
Filed : December 10, 2003  
For : METHOD OF MANUFACTURING AND LAYING A PLURALITY OF ELONGATE  
ELEMENTS TO THE OUTSIDE OF A CORE ELEMENT

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	17	-	20	=0	x \$50.00	\$ _____
Independent Claims	1	-	3	=0	x \$200.00	\$ _____
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$260.00 to additional fee.)					\$ _____
	Total:					\$ _____

☐ Verified Statement of "Small Entity" Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27  
filed \_\_\_\_\_. Reduced Fees Under 37 CFR § 1.9(f)

\* Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to  
in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

(50% of total) paid herewith.

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[ ] Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2825 . Order No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2825. Order No. 979-046

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[ ] \_\_\_\_ Page(s) of substitute Sequence Listing

[ ] \_\_\_\_ Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing

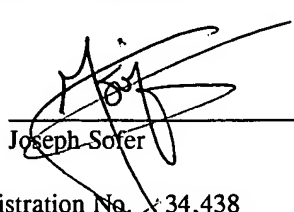
[ ] Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.

[ ] A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

SOFER & HAROUN L.L.P.

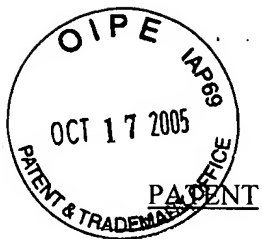
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. 1.8a)

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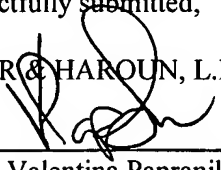
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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached Amendment, Amendment Transmittal, Appendix and Return Postcard, along with any paper(s) referred to as being attached or enclosed and this Certificate of Mailing are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, V.A. 22313-1450.

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**AMENDMENT**

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SIR:

In connection with the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2005.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 12 of this paper.